Amendment No. 2 to HB0540

<u>Hazlewood</u> Signature of Sponsor

AMEND Senate Bill No. 427

House Bill No. 540*

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 54-5-708(1), is amended by designating the existing language as subdivision (A) and adding the following as a new subdivision:

(B) Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, any state community colleges that are within the service area of Roane State Community College, located in any county having a population of not less than forty thousand seven hundred (40,700) nor more than forty thousand eight hundred (40,800), according to the 2010 federal census, or any subsequent federal census, and located within five (5) miles of Interstate 75, must be signed pursuant to subdivision (1)(A) regardless of the number of students enrolled in the colleges.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.